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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NORIO OHKUMA, ET AL.) : Examiner: C. Annick
Appln. No.: 08/634,255) : Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: April 18, 1996) :
For: LIQUID JET RECORDING) March 23, 2000
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PRODUCTION THEREOF)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of
Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action
dated September 23, 1999 for three (3) months from December 23,
1999 to March 23, 2000.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 870.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,


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